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In re Application of: Jay K. Bass et al.

Group Art Unit: 1743

Serial No.: 09/846,474

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**DRAWING CORRECTION APPROVAL**

Enclosed is a copy of FIG. 9 of the present application showing a proposed amendment. This amendment is merely to delete reference "14b" from FIG. 9, as 14b was not referenced in the disclosure. The Examiner's approval is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner is of the view that there are any outstanding issues, he is invited to call Gordon Stewart at (650)485-2386.

Respectfully submitted,

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